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BOSTON, February 23.

On Friday last the Honorable House of Representatives voted the following Answer to the Governor's Message of the 13th Instant: And the next Day a Committee appointed for that Purpose presented it to his Excellency.

May it please your Excellency,

THE House of Representatives at the last Sessions of the General Court, were nearly unanimous in a vote for the dismission of this Richard Jackson, Esq; from the Agency of this Province: That vote was unanimously concurred by the honorable Board. Your Excellency in a Speech to both Houses, at the close of that Session, was pleased to give the strongest assurances that you would take it into consideration at the then next Session without delay. The Court was then prorogued. The House patiently waited some time after the opening of the present Session, without receiving the least intimation from your Excellency, relating to this interesting subject. It became therefore absolutely necessary to originate a second vote of dismission: This vote has also passed both Houses without the least opposition; and having been laid before your Excellency, has occasioned your Message of the 13th instant: At which our surprize is inexpressible; and yet a total silence on this business would be an unpardonable neglect of our duty.

Your Excellency seems to be so desirous of the "release of Mr. Jackson," that it is truly astonishing you should think fit to delay the signing the vote for his dismission; especially when the sense of both Houses has been repeatedly, and without the least reserve so publickly declared.

The Parliament of Great Britain is the first great Council of the King and of the Nation; and no wise and virtuous Prince has ever thought proper to act a counter part to their unanimous advice. A proportionate degree of attention, on the principles of our excellent constitution, we have a right to expect.

But your Excellency has been pleased to intimate the reason of your delay, by saying that the House "should consider that Payment & Dismission ought to go together:" This we are constrained to say implies a new and a strange demand: If your Excellency intends to with-hold your assent to the Resolves of the two Houses, till we shall take into consideration an adequate reward to Mr. Jackson for his services, we shall have just reason to complain of it as an unconstitutional exercise of your power, and in breach of the privilege of the House. It is the undoubted right of the House of Representatives, to take their own time to transact any part of the public business, and in granting money they are not to be controuled: Your Excellency's tacking together Payment and Dismission, and intimating your expectation of our compliance with the one, as a condition of your consenting to the other, gives us the idea of a composition to which we are by no means inclined: Your Excellency might as well in our humble opinion, demand a certain sum, and that much beyond the merit of that Gentleman's services in the estimation of the House, as a condition of your consent to his Dismission; but however desirous we are that this event may take place, we are not disposed to purchase it at the expence of our privileges as well as of our money.---You are pleased to say that Payment has been neglected heretofore: Your Excellency cannot mean to extend this censure, to any neglect of payment to our former Agents, for it may safely be affirmed, that the Agents for this Province have ever been as well supported and paid without exception, as those for any other on the continent, and some of them have been allowed much larger stipends than those of most of the other Colonies have had: Yet your Excellency, in the strongest manner affirms it, at least with regard to Mr. Jackson, in saying "that Payment has been so neglected heretofore." Upon recollection we apprehend you will find, that the House have been in no degree deficient, in an honorable allowance to Mr. Jackson: He has been Agent only two years; upon his election, a grant was made of two hundred pounds sterling to enable him to carry on the business of his Agency, to which your Excellency declined to give your assent. The next year the grant was renewed, and your Excellency was then pleased to sign it.

In your Message you observe, "that Mr. Jackson has served us five years, including the current: the three first years as our standing Council appointed by Commission under the Province Seal:" We humbly apprehend your Excellency is under a mistake; there being no vote of the Assembly to ground such a Commission upon, and only an Instruction to Mr. Agent Mauduit, to apply to Mr. Jackson as Council for the Province in Law Mat- We have never yet been apprized what ters of Law Mr. Mauduit tho't proper to consult him upon, matters o[f] nor indeed do we know of any which he could be jointly employed with Mr. Mauduit in that time: However, material business in his Bills, if unpaid when we shall be favored with by Mr. Mauduit, due care will be taken to discharge them in our own time and our own moderation and honor of Mr. Jackson. It is enough that we preserve our own. We know that it belongs of right to a House of Representatives, to be so far free and independent judges of the merit of all the Servants of this Government as to determine an adequate reward for their services, be they ever so important. When the demands of Mr. Jackson shall come properly before us, we shall at all times, & in all cases, take care to do him at least strict justice: In the mean time we must humbly, but earnestly intreat your Excellency to compleat your own desires, as well as those of the Assembly, by giving your assent to the Vote, whereby Richard Jackson, Esq; will be discharged from the service of this Province.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Province of the Massachusetts-Bay. } *To the Hon*ble. BENJAMIN LYNDE, *Esq; one of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace thro' said Province.*

THE Petition of the Subscribers hereto sheweth, That your petitioners are some of the proprietors of a new township lying in the county of *Cumberland*, and adjoining to great Sabago-Pond, that was granted to Capt. *William Raymond*, and others, by the Great and General Court of said Province, *June* 24, 1765, and is bounded as followeth, *viz.* Beginning at the westerly corner bound of the township of Windham, and extending by the Needle due N. E. seven miles & a half on the head line of said Windham & New-Boston; thence extending on a due N. W. course seven miles and a half; thence from the first-mentioned bound, extending up the N. E. side of the great pond of Sabago, as the pond doth run, till a N. E. line shall terminate at the end of seven miles and a half on the N. E. side lines; which bounderies including the six miles and three quarters, as mentioned in the grant, with the addition of three quarters of a mile for the water included within said boundaries.---And as a legal meeting of said proprietors is highly necessary, wherefore your petitioners pray your Honor would please to call a meeting of said proprietors, to be held at the house of Mr. *Solomon Town*, Innholder in *Beverley*, on the 27th day of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, then and there to proceed on the business of said meeting, which your petitioners take leave to range in the following order, *viz.*

1. To choose a moderator for said meeting.
2. To choose a treasurer, clerk and other needful officers.
3. To notify the proprietors who are in arrears of the taxes levied on them in the concerns of the farm or township called Hale's Town, forthwith to pay their arrears to the treasurer to prevent the sale of their rights.
4. To appoint some meet person or persons to prefer a petition to the court aforesaid, to enable said proprietors to make sale of said delinquents rights in said township, granted to Capt. *William Raymond* and others, to defrey said arrears if neglected by said delinquents.
5. To agree upon a suitable method for warning proprietors meetings for the future.
6. To choose a committee to make a division of said township, and to give them instructions, or to come into any measures for dividing said township, that the proprietors shall think proper.
7. To raise money to defrey the charges that have already arisen; and also to defrey the charges of dividing said township, and other necessary charges.
8. To see if the proprietors will raise any money to be laid out towards clearing a Way on to said township.
9. To act any thing further relating to the settlement of said township, that the proprietors shall think needful.

Benjamin Raymond,
Thomas Porter,
George Raymond,
Nathanel Raymond,
John Chipman,
Elijah Porter.

Feb. 24, 1767.

L. S. Province of the *Massachusetts-Bay.*

TO Capt. *Thomas Porter*, of *Danvers*, in the county of *Essex*, Gentleman, one of the proprietors of the township granted to Captain *William Raymond* and others, in the *Canada* Expedition, 1690, and lying in the county of *Cumberland*.

IN pursuance of the foregoing application and request, (you are in his Majesty's name hereby required to give notice, in time and manner as the law directs) to the proprietors of the township lately granted to the legal representatives and assigns of Capt. *William Raymond* and others, who were in the *Canada*-Expedition 1690, now lying in the county of *Cumberland*, That they meet together at the time and place mentioned in the foregoing petition, for transacting the business therein express'd.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Salem, *this 24th Day of* February, *Anno Domini*, 1767, *and in the seventh Year of his Majesty's Reign.*

BENJ[a]. LYNDE, *Justice of the Peace thro'out said Province.*

Danvers, February 24, 1767.

BY *Virtue of the foregoing Warrant to me directed, I do hereby notify and warn the Proprietors of the aforesaid Land, to meet at the House of Mr.* Solomon Town, *Innholder in* Beverley, *on Monday the 27th Day of* April, 1767, *at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon, for the Purposes therein mentioned.* THOMAS PORTER.

TO be sold at public Vendue, to the highest bidder, at the Dwelling House of Mr. *Aaron Coburn* Innholder in *Dracut* in the County of *Middlesex*, on Monday the 30th of *March* next, at Two of the Clock Afternoon, by *John Varnum*, Executor to the Testament of Mr. *Aaron Coburn*, late of said *Dracut*, deceas'd: All the Remainder of the said deceased's Estate that he died seized of (free the Payment of his just Debts) that remains unsold, being the deceased's Dwelling House, a Barn and a Corn House, with the House Lot thereto adjoining, containing about 35 Acres of Land all beautifully situated in *Dracut* aforesaid, adjoining on *Merrimack* River, about 14 Acres thereof is very good interval Land, the Remainder consists of Orcharding, Pasturing Ploughland & Woodland. And also about 35 Acres of Woodland about one Mile Northward from said House Lot (well wooded) and about 5 Acres of valuable Meadow adjoining to said Wood Lot. Any Person inclining to purchase shall be fairly treated and kindly used in the Sale thereof ——There are also many Articles of Houshold Goods belonging to said Estate that was left in the deceased's Widow's Hands, (who is also since deceas'd) to be sold at said Vendue.

JOHN VARNUM, Executor as aforesaid.

Dracut, February 21. 1767.

Exchanged by Mistake on the 10th or 11th of February Instant, a good Camblet Cloak with a Crimson Bays Lining, for another not quite so good. Whoever has it and will inform the Printers will receive Thanks, for alas! it was borrowed.

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BOSTON, March 2.

Friday last his Excellency sent the following Message to the Honorable House of Representatives, after it had been read in Council and advised to by the Board. vide page 589

Gentlemen of the House of Representatives,

I Should have answered your Message of the 12th instant before now, if more urgent business had not prevented me. However, it is time enough to observe that it is the indispensable duty of every Governor to republish the Proclamations of other Governors, which regard his Majesty's general service, or are like to affect the subjects of the government. Nor does he thereby make himself answerable for the truth of the facts mentioned therein to have been committed in another government; as he has no power to enquire into the same, nor right to judge thereon. These are the principles which I and the Council acted upon in ordering the publication you complain of.

In the present case it does not appear therein that the misdemeanors mentioned to have been committed by the Whalers, are positively charged upon the people of this province; nor is there an absolute necessity that they should be applied to them. And if there was, it is not probable that the irregularities of some Fishermen in distant seas will affect the credit of a great and respectable Province. But if it had been so, still the republication of those Notifications would have been unavoidable. For as they were designed to remove the apprehensions which had arisen that the Whale-Fishers from the Plantations were wholly precluded from the coasts therein mentioned, and to notify Ordinances under which the vessels and goods of all persons concerned in voyages to those seas would be subject to forfeiture, it would have been inexcusable in us to have concealed such Notifications, and thereby to have kept the persons concerned in ignorance of the terms upon which such Fishery would be allowed, or make them [illegible] subject to confiscation for want of notice of the regulations under which they are required to conduct themselves.

Council-Chamber, Feb. 27th, 1767. FRA. BERNARD.

When the above Message was read in the House, a Committee was appointed to take it into Consideration. answered page 606

TO BE SOLD,

A Brick Dwelling-House, with good Accommodations, and good Well of Water, in Brattle Street, opposite the West Door of the Rev. Mr *Cooper's* Meeting House: Inquire of *Benjamin Dolbeare*. Also to be Sold by said *Dolbeare*, a Quantity of Dry Casks, of almost all Sizes; and a Sett of Tinman's Tools.

TO BE SOLD,

The Hull of a well-built Double-Deck Vessel, of good Dimensions, about 138 Tons, built of the best 2 & ¼ & 3 Inch Plank, and may be loaded in 10 Days. Enquire of *Joseph Greenough*, at *Newbury Port*.

A Quantity of Pollock, and Cod *Jamaica* FISH, wanted to be exchanged for Molasses and Sugars. Inquire of Edes and Gill.

RAN away from me the Subscriber, a Negro Man named *Tom*, about [illegible] feet 7 or 8 Inches high: Had on when he went away, a red Great Coat, a light colour'd Pea [illegible] Hair Plush [illegible] cket, lined with striped Homspun, a Yarn [illegible] jacket, green Colour, short Trowsers, blue stockings, a Pair of square Silver Buckles; speaks good English; and was seen going over *Roxbury* Neck last Wednesday Morning with a Bridle in his Hand.

Whoever takes up said Servant, and secures him in any of his Majesty's Goals, so that his Master may have him again, or brings him to the Subscriber shall have FOUR DOLLARS Reward, and all necessary Charges paid, by SIMEON POLLEY.

All Masters of Vessels and others, are hereby cautioned against harbouring, concealing or carrying off said Servant on Penalty of the Law.

Boston, February 24, 1767.

ALL Persons indebted to *Joseph Gardner*, are hereby desired to make immediate Payment, as they would avoid the Trouble and Charge of the Law.

TO BE SOLD,

A House and Land pleasantly situated near the Great Bridge in *Ipswich*, with a Shop and other Conveniences, suitable for a Trader; Also five Acres of Salt Marsh in said Town, and three Lots of Land, each eighty Acres, in the Township of *Winchendon*, near *Lunenburgh*. For Particulars, enquire of *Henry Wise* in *Ipswich*, or *Ebenezer Storer* of *Boston*.

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Samuel Eliot

Has Imported in the last Ships from *LONDON*,
AND SELLS
At the very lowest Rates, by Wholesale and Retail,
At his Shop near the Head of Dock Square,
just above the Market.

A general Assortment of

English & India Piece Goods, with a fine Assortment of

3qrs, 7-8ths & yard-wide Irish Linnens	Writing and Press Paper
Poland and common Starch, by the Cask or Dozen	Quills and Ink Powder
Best Bohea Tea by the dozen or single Pound	Womens English and Lynn Shoes
Kippen's & Tilloch's Snuff,	Clogs and Goloshoes
London Wool Cards	Cinnamon and Nutmegs
assortment Looking Glasses	Cloves and Mace
	Men's Butt Soles
	China Ware
	Best Pistol Powder, &c.

*** *ALL the above Goods will be Sold at the very lowest Rates.*

CHoice West-India Rum, Beef, Butter, Poland Starch; a Variety of English GOODS, &c. to be sold by *Edmund Quincy*, Tertio at his Store on *Green's* Wharff.

N. B. Said *Quincy* lost a Bucket at [illegible] Whoever will return it to the [illegible]ne last Fire. One Dollar Reward. [illegible]owner, shall have

ALL who have Demands on the Estate [illegible] Esq; d[illegible] of the late Hon BENJAMIN PRATT, [illegible]ceased, are again desired to come and receive their Money: And all who are indebted to said Estate, either by Book, Notes of Hand, or *Interest* on Bond, &c. are once more requested to make speedy Payment, as they would avoid being sued to next *April* Court, *Boston*.

Feb 20 1767. *Samuel Swift*, Attorney to the Executors of said Deceased.

ALL Persons indebted to, or have any Accounts open with the Estate of Capt. *Timothy Rogers*, late of *Gloucester*, deceased, are desired to bring them in to *Isaac Smith*, of *Boston*, Administrator to said Estate, or to Mr. *Daniel Rogers*, of said *Gloucester*, (his Attorney) in Order for Settlement. And said Administrator has to sell a SLOOP belonging to said Estate of about 75 Tons, almost new, suitable for the Whaleing Business.

All Persons who have any Demands against Mr *John Blackadore*, of *Boston*, are desired to bring in the same so soon as may be to *Peter Chardon*, Esq; at his house in *Boston* who has to sell a Dwelling House and Land in Cross Street late in the Possession of Mrs. *Margaret Blackadore*, deceased; and any Persons inclining to Purchase the same are desired to apply to said *Chardon*, *Ezekiel Goldthwait*, Esq; or Doctor *John Sprague*, who will dispose of said House and Land on very moderate Terms for the Payment of said *John Blackadore's* Debts. *Boston Jan* 17, 1766.

ALL Persons indebted to, or that have any Demands on the Estate of Deacon *Benjamin Willis*, late of *Medford*, deceas'd, are desired to bring in their Accounts to *Thomas Seccomb*, of *Medford*, Administrator to said Estate, as soon as may be, in Order for a speedy Settlement.

Medford, March 2d, 1767.

Lynn. February 16, 1767.

WE the Subscribers being appointed by the Hon. *Nathaniel Ropes*, Esq; Judge of Probate &c. for the County of *Essex*, as Commissioners to receive and Examine the Claims of the Creditors of *Richard Mower*, late of *Lynn*, in said County of *Essex*, Gentleman, deceas'd, represented Insolvent, and six Months being allowed to receive and examine the said Claims—DO hereby give Notice that we shall meet for that Purpose at the House of Capt. *Samuel Johnson*, Innholder in said *Lynn*, the first Monday of the five next ensuing Months, to sit from Three of the Clock in the Afternoon till Six.

Zaccheus Collins,
Thomas Stocker.

Best Sperma Ceti Candles,

Warranted Pure,

MADE AND SOLD by JOHN LANGDON in *Fleet-Street*, above HANCOCK's *Wharf* near the *Old North Meeting House*. He also sells the *best Refin'd Sperma Ceti Oil* by the Barrel. Best *Tallow Candles* mould and dipp'd, and Bayberry Wax Candles. ALL *as low as they can be had at any Place in Town.*

TO BE SOLD,

By William Taylor, *Esq; of* Milton, *one of the Proprietors of the* Kennebeck Purchase *from the late Colony of* New Plymouth,

A Tract of Land in *Pownalborough*, on *Kennebeck* River, being in the Shire Town of the County of *Lincoln*, where 200 Families are settled: Said Land lying on the *Eastern* River, where it runs into *Kennebeck*, being opposite to *Swan-Island*, containing 3200 Acres of choice Up-Land and Meadow, bounded North on Capt. *Patterson's* Land, from whence it runs South one Mile down said *Eastern* River, and five Miles back, being one Mile wide and five Miles long.—The Rear of it is one Mile and a Quarter from *Sheepscut* River.—It has the Advantage of two navigable Rivers; and is well wooded with choice Timber, and has a good Stream for a Mill.—The *Eastern* River is navigable for Vessels of 70 or 80 Tons when loaded; and said Tract may be divided into several Farms, as will best suit the Purchasers.

For further Information apply to *Jonathan Bowman*, Esq; of *Pownalborough*, or to *William Taylor*, Esq; of *Milton*, or to the Printers hereof.

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By Bethiah Oliver,

At her Shop opposite the Rev Dr. SEWALL's *Meeting-House*, BOSTON.

GArden Seeds, Peas and Beans of all Sorts, warranted to be of the last Year's Produce, too many to be enumerated. Also round and split Peas, Hemp, Rape, and Canary Seed, red Clover and Herds Grass Seed. And a general Assortment of Glass, Delph and Stone Ware, *Lynn* Shoes, best Bohea Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, and all other Groceries, cheap for Cash.

Green Coffee

To be sold by the Cask, Hundred or Dozen, at JOSEPH PALMER & Company's Store, on *Minot's* T. Cheap for Cash.

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A Method of hearing Sermons to Advantage. By a LAYMAN *of the Church of England.*

☞ This little Piece contains about fifty select Texts, and some of the principal Truths, or Improvements on them, several of them delivered in various Parts of this Continent, and some in England and Ireland. Price only 6*d*. Lawful.

John Searson

Hath lately Imported in the Ship *Lydia* from LONDON,

A Parcel of low-pric'd Bounty Irish Linnens.

And as Mr. *Searson's* Stay is propos'd to be short here, he will dispose of them by a genuine Invoice, extreamly low for Cash only. The Goods may be seen at his Lodgings at Mrs. *Wakefield's* at the Head of *Hancock's* Wharff.

TO be Let by me the Subscriber, for a Number of Years, a FARM lying in *Andover*, near the middle of the Town, and within half a Mile of the Meeting House, with a large Dwelling-House with nine Fire Places, pleasantly situated for a Gentleman's Country Seat, or a Trader, with a Bake-House, Chaise House, Corn House and a Wood House, and Barns all in good Repair; the Barns sufficient to hold the Hay that is cut on the Place, which is enough to keep 50 Head of Cattle, and Pasturing sufficient to keep a much greater Number, and Tillage Land sufficient to raise 600 Bushels of Grain a Year, and Orcharding enough to make between 2 and 300 Barrels of Cyder, and also Fire-Wood. The Stock of Cattle may be let with the Premisses, or without, as we shall agree.

N. B. The Place is almost fenced with Stone Wall. The Mowing and Tillage are divided into ten Apartments, and the Pasturing into eight.

Andover, Feb. 23, 1767. JAMES FRYE.

TO BE SOLD,

By John Mears *of* Roxbury,
A Parcel of Curried Hides, suitable for Fishing Boots.

To be Sold, a likely Negro Boy, about 9 Years old, who has been in the Country about two Years, and talks good English. Inquire of Edes and Gill.

BOSTON, March 2.

In a Debate in a very respectable Assembly last Friday, an Extract of an anonimous Letter, said to be written in England, was read, which concluded with the following words, "So that if your Assembly will suffer themselves to be led by that very absurd ignorant Firebrand, he may bring them into a worse Scrape than they can imagine."

Upon which it was Resolved,

"That the Words were an high Insult, and in Breach of Privilege; and that the Person who wrote them, was an Enemy to this Province."

Messieurs PRINTERS,

THE following is said to be a genuine Copy of a very dirty anonimous Extract, *said* to be taken from a Letter from one —— in *London*, to another —— in *Boston*.

Extract of a Letter from London, *to a Gentleman in* Boston, *dated December* 13, 1766.

"THERE is a spirit rising in Parliament very different from that which prevailed during the last Session. It was then made the Shibboleth of party to support all the American claims, and Mr. Pitt's extream animosity against his brother, led him to condemn every thing he had done merely because it was his doing. He now seems to be recovering himself, and one of the first Offers Lord Chatham made in his negociation the other day with the Duke of Bedford, was to maintain the King's authority in all his dominions.

Yesterday he spoke a language of the same sort in the house of Lords. The rioting against the custom house officers in your province, was mentioned in the house of Commons early in the Session, when the chancellor of the Exchequer declared in the strongest terms that so long as he was in office, he would not suffer the authority of the King's laws to be trampled upon, and that he thought it the highest injury to the nation to suffer the acts of the British Parliament to be broken with impunity. And the whole house seemed animated with the same spirit, so that if your assembly will suffer themselves to be led by *that* very absurd ignorant *Firebrand* he may bring them into a worse scrape than they can imagine."

HAD the Hon. H---e of R------s gone much further in their Censures of this ungenerous Libel and its Author, no one it is thought could have charg'd them with too great Severity ---It certainly appears to be calculated & design'd to throw an Odium on as wise a Ministry as ever a Sovereign was before blessed with, I mean that Ministry which served his Majesty the last Winter and until the Repeal of the Stamp-Act---It expresly and with a Degree of Malignity, characterises the Friends and Patrons of America, by the Name of a *Party*, and affirms of Mr. PITT in particular, now Lord Chatham, as acting not from the exalted Principles of Patriotism and the Love of his Country, but from a low and degenerate Spirit of Opposition and Revenge---It aims at exciting a Jealousy of his Majesty's present Ministry in the Minds of his most loyal and affectionate Subjects in America, as if they were no longer considered by them in their real unblemish'd Character, but as disaffected to his Majesty's Government, and dispos'd to treat his Laws and the Authority of the Parliament with Contempt---It is evidently design'd to destroy if possible all that Harmony and Affection between the happy Subjects of the same Prince in Great-Britain & America, which, it must be said, in Justice to the present House of Representatives, they have given the most incontestible Proofs of their Determination in Spite of the most unparallel'd *Ingratitude* as well as Abuse on this Side the Water, to cultivate and confirm---It reflects the most contumelious Reproach and Slander on that patriotic Assembly, agreeable indeed to the Manner in which they were treated at the opening of their first Session, for acting with an Independency in their Elections unexampled for Years past, and for vindicating and maintaining *their own* Privileges and the RIGHTS of their Constituents against *repeated* Attacks upon both: With the insolent Air of disappointed Malice and Revenge, when the Firmness and Stability of the House could not be shaken, when they could not be prevail'd upon to yield to the insatiable Demands of Ambition and a Lust of Power, they are represented by this dirty concealed Writer, as being either a Set of Incendiaries themselves, or as weak and wicked enough to be led by one of such a Character.---This is the Temper of the remaining Dregs of a Party, who not a Twelvemonth ago, were exerting every Nerve to enslave this Continent, but fail'd in their Attempt---still they are venting their Malice and Spleen---but let them beware, lest they soon convince the World of what has been long suspected, that they are the Enemies not of this Province alone, but of their Sovereign too.

We hear that *John Gardiner*, Esq; (eldest Son of *Sylvester Gardiner*, Esq; of this Town,) an eminent Lawyer in England, is appointed Chief Justice of the Province of New York. *a mistake*

Last Week the Hon. House of Representatives sent up a Message to the Hon. Board, with a Copy of his Excellency's Message to them, and the Letter of his Honor the Lieut. Governor relating to his Right to a Seat in Council---It is said that in this Message, the House recommend to the Board, to consider how far the Constitution is affected by such a Claim.---If a Copy can be obtained, the Message will be inserted in our next.

We hear that Mr. William Frobisher, of this Town, Soap-Boiler, has made a Process with Pot-Ash in making the very best of Hard Soap, which has not hitherto been practiced in England. Samples of which he purposes to send Home, and if approved of, as is highly probable, will prevent the Importation of Barilla Ash from Spain, which they before made Use of, and will take off from the Colonies near 20 Tons of Pot-Ash to one that the Soft Soap Maker's use. Said Frobisher has given out that he can reduce Pot-Ash to a certain Standard; if so, 'tis worthy the Consideration of the Guardians of this People.

By Letters from the West-Indies, last Week, we hear there is plentiful Crops, especially in Antigua, the like was never known.

We hear from Plimouth, that last Friday se'nnight died there, Mrs *Elizabeth Watson*, the virtuous and amiable Consort of *George Watson*, Esq: of that Place, and Daughter of the Honorable *Peter Oliver*, Esq; of Middleborough.

Last Wednesday se'nnight the Rev. Mr. *Jeremy Belknap*, was Ordained to the Pastoral Office over the Church of Christ in Dover, as a Colleague with the Rev. Mr. *Cushing*: The Candidate having exhibited a summary of his Knowledge of the Gospel, and proper Satisfaction given, to a Council of Twenty Churches, as to his Qualifications for the Work of the Ministry, and Motives in entering upon it; The Ordination was unanimously voted---The Rev. Mr. *Robins*, of Milton, near Boston, began with Prayer, the Rev. Mr. *Haven* preach'd a well adapted Sermon, from 1 Tim. IV. 15. the Rev. Mr. *Cushing* gave the Charge, the Rev. Mr. *Pike* gave the Right-Hand of Fellowship, and the Rev. Dr. *Langdon* concluded with Prayer. The crowded Assembly appeared attentive and solemn; and the whole was conducted with religious Decency and Order.

The Rev. Mr. *Joseph Stacy Hastings*, was lately ordained Pastor of the Church in North-Hampton, in New-Hampshire.

Friday last Faneuil-Hall Lottery N°. Six finished Drawing.---The following Numbers drew the four largest Prizes, viz. N°. 482, 2250 Dollars, 651, 1000; 1843, 500; and 659, 250; ---- The List of Prizes will be in our next.----In the mean Time, any Adventurer may know their LUCK, by applying.---As many Persons were disappointed of a Chance in the last Lottery, if they do not apply speedily, they will also be in Number Seven, as near one Quarter Part are already dispos'd of.

[The great Number of new Advertisements this Week has oblig'd us to omit several Articles of Intelligence and Pieces of Speculation---in particular, Timothy Meanwell's Address to Philanthrop, which shall be taken due Notice of in our next.] [The Southern Post not arrived.]

TO-MORROW being the 3d of March,

At One o'Clock

Will be sold by PUBLIC VENDUE,

At the Royal Exchange Tavern in Kingstreet,

A Quantity of twice-laid Cordage

J. Russell, *Auctioneer*.

Manure for the Farmers.

MANURE of the richest Kind, and but lately discover'd, and which lays free to the easy Access either by Land or Water. The Farmers who are in Want of the same, by applying to *William Hunt* in Hanover Street, will be directed where to receive it, and free from any Charge of Purchasing.

All Persons indebted to, or that have any Demands on the Estate of Mr. *James Capen*, late of *Charlestown*, Ship Joiner, deceas'd, are desired to bring in their Accounts to *Sarah Capen* and *William Capen*, of said *Charlestown*, Administrators on said Estate.

THIS DAY PUBLISHED,

(And sold by EDES & GILL, *in Queen-Street;)*

CONSIDERATIONS

on SLAVERY. In a LETTER to a Friend.

☞ *The Design of this Pamphlet is to represent the pernicious Consequences of the Slave Trade, not only to those who are unhappily brought into Slavery, but to the Community into which they are introduced. And as we have Reason to suppose the Publick animated with the strongest Sentiments of Liberty, we think it cannot fail to engage universal Attention.*

Imported from London *in Capt.* Bruce *and to be sold*

By Elizabeth Clark,

At her Shop near the Mill Bridge, BOSTON.

EArly Charlton, early Hotspur, golden Hotspur, Marrowfat, Spanish Marrowfat, Ledman's Dwarf and large Sugar Peas; large Windsor, early Hotspur, early Lisbon, and yellow Dwarf Beans; early Yorkshire, early Dutch, Sugar Loaf green and yellow Savoy, Battersea, red and large Cabbage Seeds, Colliflower ditto, golden, purple and Orange Carrot Seeds, early Turnip, French & Winter ditto, white Silver Onion, swelling Parsnip red Beat, scarlet and short top Salmon Raddish, white Goss and Cabbage Lettice, round Spinnage, double Parsley, Peppergrass, Summer Savory, sweet Marjoram, hard Thyme, Sellery, Endive & Grass and Asparagus Seeds.

N. B. The above Seeds, &c. are all warranted of the best Kind, and of last Year's Growth.

Imported in Capt. Dixcey *from* London, *and to be sold*

By Lydia Dyar,

Near the North Battery;

EArly Charlton, early Hotspur, golden Hotspur, large Marrowfats, blue and Dwarf ditto, Spanish Moratto, early Dwarf large Winsor Beans, early Hotspur and Lisbon & scarlet Beans, early Yorkshire, early Dutch, Sugar Loaf and Brittersea Cabbage, green and yellow Savoy, large Winter and red Cabbage, Colliflower early and late, early and late Cucumbers, ditto of Turnip, double Peppergrass, double Parsley, Orange purple and early Carrot, Thyme, Sweet Marjoram, Rape Hemp and Canary Birdseed, red & white Clover, Herds Grass, with all other Seeds new and good.

TO BE SOLD,

A Quantity of Tar and Turpentine. Enquire at Mr. *Philip Freeman's* in Union-Street, *Boston*.

TO BE SOLD,

By Benjamin Church,

At his usual Place of Sale on THURSDAY next,

A great Variety of valuable Articles, viz.

BRoad Cloths of different Colours and Pieneses, Velvets, Plains, Kerseys, Shalloons, Tammies, Cambletts, Irish Hollands, Garlix, Checks, Silks, Fustians, Handkerchiefs, Mens and Womens Hose, &c. Sundry Articles of Houshold, as Tables, Looking-Glasses, Watches, Wearing Apparel, a neat Chaise and Harness, &c.

To be Sold at Public VENDUE,

By *Moses Deshon*,

At the newest Auction-Room, opposite the West End of *Faneuil*-Hall, Dock-Square;

Next Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday,

BRoad Cloths, Shalloons, Camblets, Baize, Coverlids, Bearskins, spotted Swanskin, Plaids, Floor Carpets, 3 4 7 8 and yard Linnens, Checks, Handkerchiefs, stript Hollands, Bedtick, Ticklingburg, Dowlass, Callicoes, Table Cloths, Damascus, Stay Laces, Buttons, Mohair, Hatts, Shovel and Tongs, Snuff Boxes, a Collection of Books, &c.

N. B. Black Tabaty, a lac'd Sattin Jacket, lac'd Hat, plated Sword, Quadrant, and Silver Watches at private Sale. *Constant Attendance at said Room.*

NEW AUCTION ROOM,

In Royal-Exchange Lane,

To be Sold by PUBLIC VENDUE, by

ELIAS DUPEE,

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday.

PINK, scarlet, crimson, blue and drab coloured Silks, fine and coarse Broad Cloths, Bearskins, Forrest Cloths, German Serges, Baize, English & Scotch Carpets, Plaids, Shalloons, Camblets, Checks, Irish Linnens, Huckaback, Velvets, Hair Plush, Thicksets, Men Women and Childrens Worsted Hose, Cruels, Slacks, Ribbons, Buttons, new Feather Beds, a Mehogany Bedsted, Leather Bottom Chairs & other Furniture, Muffs and Tippets, Foolscap & Pot Paper, Quills, Pens, Books, Silver Watches, Apparel, &c.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *BOSTON*,

ENTERED IN.

Whitmarsh from Monti-Christi.

CLEARED OUT.

Parker for Philadelphia. Mackey for North-Carolina. Cavenaugh for Halifax. Adams and Dinmore for West-Indies. Prissick for Whitby.

Buried in the Town of Boston since our last,

Five Whites. One Black.

Baptiz'd in the several Churches, Ten.

High Water at Boston for this present Week

Monday, 58 m after 12		Friday, 19 m after 4	
Tuesday 47 m after 1		Saturday 17 m after 5	
Wednesday 37 m after 2		Lord's-day, 6m after 9	
Thursday, 30 m after 3		First Quart 7 Day, 4 Morn.	

† Supposed to be spoke with reference to J. Otis jun.r Esq.r in the House of Representatives.

* Exchequer who was Chan.r Exchequ.r of House of Representatives. ∧ vide the affair at Cap. Malcomb's page 512—522. —— vide the Stamp Act page 59. * vid. Barnard's Speeches page

Sam. A. Otis

Has to sell at Store No 5 South side of the Town Dock,
By Wholesale and Retail:

RUM, Sugar	PITCH and Tar
Molasses	English Duck
Tea and Chocolate	Russia Duck
New Rice	Osnabrigs, Twine
Dumbroth warranted good	Cod and Mackrel Hooks and Lines
Barr Iron	Ticklenburgs
Iron Pots and Kettles	Copperas, Case Bottles
Nails of all Sorts	Cordage
Best London Pipes	Spermaceti Oyl, &c.
English steel	

N B A few Packs of *Cotton* and Casks of *Sugars* at said store may be had very cheap

Also, Choice Hemp-Seed.

TO BE SOLD,

A very good Farm lying

in the South Part of *Dedham*, about 15 Miles distance from the Town House in *Boston*, and half a Mile South from the Great Road leading to *Walpole*, containing between 230 & 240 Acres, all very good Land, and lies in one whole Piece. Any Person or Persons inclining to purchase the same, may have it upon easy Terms, paying some Part of the Money down, and the other to be upon Interest with good Security. Those who incline to purchase, may inquire of Messrs. *Edes* and *Gill*, Printers, and know further.

To be Sold by *Joseph Dennie*, in

Union Street, opposite to Mr. *James Jackson's*,

BOHEA TEA by the Chest, Nutmegs, Cinnamon and Cloves. 21—26

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Mr. *Richard Sutton*, late of *Charlestown*, Leather Dresser deceas'd; represented Insolvent, are hereby notified to Pay their Debts to *Nathan Adams*, of *Charlestown* aforesaid Innholder, Administrator on said Estate to prevent further Trouble. And all who have any Demands on said Estate, are desired to bring in their Accounts that so there may be a final Settlement. *Charlestown, Feb* 23, 1767

TO BE SOLD BY

Samuel Gray

At the Head of *Hancock's* Wharff,

A Parcel of dry and pickled Seil Skins, Jamaica Fish &c &c &c

TO BE SOLD,

A Wharff in very good Repair,

210 Long, and 35 Broad, with a large Cooper's Shop, and also a Store 40 Feet long, adjoining to Capt. *Doble's* Wharff, a little to the Southward of Major *Noble's*. Inquire of the Printers.

THIS is to give Notice, that the Widow *Hendry* having had her Workshop destroyed in the late Fire, in Paddy's Alley—carries on the Farrier's Business on Scarlet's Wharf, at the North End;—where she hopes her Customers will continue their Favors to her, in her deplorable Circumstances, having a very chargeable Family, and met with very heavy Losses by the said Fire

Best *Jamaica* SUGAR by the

Hogshead, to be sold by *Robert Gordon*, at his Store fronting *Green's* Wharff near the East End of *Faneuil* Hall.

ALL Persons indebted to, or that have any Demands on the Estate of *Francis Wellet*, late of *Boston*, Esq; Distiller deceas'd, are desired to bring in their Accounts to *Susanna Wellet*, of *Boston*, Widow, Executrix to said Estate.

To be Sold cheap for Cash,

A strong well-built Brigantine,

measuring about 90 Tons, two Years old, now lying at *Gray's* Wharff. For further Particulars, inquire of the Printers.

To be dispos'd off, on board the

Brig *Wilmott*, lying at *Gray's* Wharff, some Men and Women Indented Servants, for four Years, very reasonable Inquire of *William Creed*, on board said Brig.

A Moses Boat was taken up some

Time since, about 14 Feet long. The Owner by describing her Marks, and paying Charges, may have her again. Inquire of the Printers.

Sundry Things missing after the

late Fire, viz. One Pair of Brass Dogs, cast solid, very heavy and large; 22 yards of Hamburgh Sheeting; one Bell metal Skillet, and one Silver Spoon—a Jacket lin'd with Woollen, and several Yards Check. The Persons that took them in, not knowing who they may belong to, I take this Method to inform them that they belong to the subscriber.

JONATHAN PAYSON

THE Person who thro Mistake,

on the Day after the late Fire, took a good Bed instead of one something inferior, is desired to rectify the Mistake by leaving Word with the Printers, that the right Owner may have his again

A wet Nurse, with a good Breast

of Milk, would take a Child to suckle; Inquire of Edes & Gill.

Imported in Capt. *Scott* from *London*, and to be Sold

By Eliz. Greenleaf,

At her shop at the End of Union-Street, over against the Blue-Ball;

LArge Marrowfats, Dwarff ditto early Charlton, armerod Hotspur, and Golden Hotspur Pease; large Windsor, early Lisbon Beans, yellow Dwarf ditto, early Yorkshire, early Dutch, Battersea, green and yellow Savoy, Sugar Loaf, red and large Winter Cabbage Seeds, white, Spanish, Silverskin and red Onions, early Carrot, Orange ditto early Cucumber, long green prickled ditto, early Dutch and late Turnip swelling Parsnip short top Salmon and pink Raddish scarlet Beat, double and single Parsley, double and single Pepper Grass Summer Spinnage, Cabbage, Marble Ball and green Goss Lettuce, Bautavea Endive, Asparagus, Sallary, Sweet Marjoram, Thyme, Baum, Mustard Seed, Hemp Canary and Rape Seeds—all warranted to be the last Year's Growth.

William Davidson,

Gardener, in Seven-Star Lane,

HAS just Imported from LONDON 60 Sorts of Irish Garden Seeds of all Sorts suitable for *America*, with Pease and Beans. Also Garden Seeds saved here, more suitable for the West Indies, warranted good.—Also a Collection of young grafted and inoculated English Fruit Trees of Apples—Pears—Plums—Cherries—Peaches—Apricots and Nectrens. Also white Muskeding Grape Vines; red and white Dutch Currant Bushes; English Gooseberry Bushes; double Rose Bushes; Asparagus of the large early sort; and 60 sorts of flower Plants and Seeds; also early and late Colliflower, Cabbage, Savoy, Sallery and Endive Plants in their Seasons;—and all Sorts of dried sweet Herbs, &c all at the very lowest Price for Cash, &c &c.

VERY neat, well-made, Deer's

Leather Breeches, at *Twenty four* Shillings Lawful Money the Pair,

TO BE SOLD BY

Benjamin Andrews, jun.

At his Store, opposite the Swing Bridge;

Where he has to sell also on the lowest Terms for Cash, *Philadelphia* common and superfine Flour, Bran, Bar Iron, English and German Steel, Kippen's Snuff, Mustard, *Bohea Tea*, Pepper Pimento Nutmegs, Cinnamon, Rice, *choice French Brandy*, Iron hollow Ware, Bar Lead LIKEWISE,

A general Assortment of English Goods—as

BRoad Cloths, Serges, Rattenes, Beavers, Kerseys, Halfthicks, Ript Duffils, Shalloons, Tammies, Callimancoes, Grograms Cambletts, Cambletteens, Sagathees, Duroys, plain and flower'd Ruffells, Grizets quilted Coats, silk Cloaks, plain & figured Mode, Ducapes, Lutestrings, Mantuas, English Damasks, 3 4 7-8 yard & ell wide Linnens Checks, ript Hollands, Russia Linnen Diapers, Callicoes, Cambricks, Lawns, Book-Muslin, silk and worsted Gloves & Mitts cotton thread silk and worsted Hose, cotton Counterpains, Hose's Shoes and Clogs. French Necklaces, Leather Mount Fans, Ribbons, China Dishes, Plates Bowls &c.

A SLOOP of about 80 Tons is wanted early in the Spring, for a Whaling Voyage—Enquire of said *Andrews*.

To be Lett, for a Number of

Years or otherwise, a House pleasantly situated at the Westerly part of the Town, very commodious for a Family of eight or ten Persons, with a good Stable, Chaise House, &c. Inquire of Edes & Gill.

A young Woman with a good

Breast of Milk, would go into a Family to suckle; inquire of Edes & Gill.

To be Sold, a Negro Man who

understands Gardening, &c. Inquire of the Printers.

WHEREAS a large new Car-

pet, a small ditto, a Squab of a Couch, a Looking-Glass, and a Number of other valuable Articles, were carried out of my House, when on fire, the 3d Instant:

THIS is to desire those Persons who may have any Knowledge of the above Articles, to communicate it. In doing which, they will oblige

JONATHAN WILLIAMS.

WANTED,

A genteel Lodgings in a private

Family, with a handsome lower Room and the Use of a Servant when at Home, for a Gentleman who will remain in Town some considerable Time. Any Person who can accommodate him will be waited on if he leaves his Name with Edes & Gill.

Imported in Capt. Calef *from* LONDON,

And to be sold by

Susanna Renken,

In Fore-street, near the Draw-Bridge, BOSTON.

LArge Marrowfats, early Charlton early Hotspur, golden Hotspur, blue Marrowfats, and cronked Peas, large Windsor, early Hotspur and early Lisbon Beans, early yellow, scarlet and orange Carrots, early Dutch, early Yorkshire, early Battersea, early Sugar loaf red and large Winter Cabbage; Early and late Collyflower, green and yellow savoy Sallery, green and white Endive, Salmon and scarlet London Radish, best curl'd Peppergrass, Summer and Winter Spinnage curl'd and hambo Parsley, Cabbage, white Goss and imperial Lettice, early and late Cucumber, long Turkey ditto, early and late Turnips, Summer & Winter Savoy; Hyssop, Thyme, Sweet-marjoram and Baum, Lavender and Rosemary, Hemp Canary and Rape Seed, red and white Clover, Red Top and Herds Grass Seed, warranted to be of the last Year's Growth. Also all Sorts of English GOODS and China Ware, to be sold cheap for Cash.

Samuel Austin

At the Black Boy *and* Butt *in Cornhill*;

TAKES this Opportunity of informing all Persons, who will favour him with their Custom that he has to sell, (amongst a Variety of other Wines) Choice *Vidonia* and *Canara* WINES, which are lately Imported, and which he can recommend.

TO BE SOLD,

ONE Hundred Barrels of choice

Halifax Mackrel. Inquire of *William Boardman*, near the Town Dock——Where may be had, Beaver, Beaveret and Castor Hatts, of his own Make.

TO BE LETT,

And enter'd upon the 25th of March, *in good tenable Repair.*

The Five Grist-Mills at

the North Part of the Town of *Boston*, with Stabling for Horses, Stores for Grain &c. Any Person inclining to Hire, may apply to *William Hunt*, in Hanover-Street, whom the Proprietors hath empowered to Let the same.

To be Sold, a Suit of Sails, with

the Rigging and Blocks compleat, for a Schooner between 50 and 60 Tons Burthen; also, Cables, Anchors, Boat, Mast Booms and Gaffs, Pumps and Pump Gear, and all small Stores, about one Third wore. Likewise a Parcel of Whale Gear, viz. Wharps, Irons, Boats, &c. never used. A Parcel of Womens and Girls Shoes, and Brown Paper cheap for Cash. For further Particulars, inquire of Edes and Gill.

Lost at the late Fire, two Leather

Buckets, mark'd *Lemuel Cox*, No 1. & No 2, painted green. If any Person has or shall find them, they are desired to inform said *Cox*.

Lost at the late Fire seven Buckets

and 2 Baggs mark'd as follows, viz.

Jonathan Cary and *John Rogers* 1 Bag & 1 Bucket, *Robert Hewes*, *Levi Jennings* and *Joseph Austis*, Buckets

Any Person possess'd of either of them are desired to send them to Mr. *Robert Rand*, near the Draw-Bridge.

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